



Area 59

EASTERN PENNSYLVANIA
GENERAL SERVICE ASSEMBLY

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CPC Subcommittee Report Q3 2018

Response to Delegate Recommendations

Operational

Recommendations

3. Address all referrals from the CPC Coordinator at GSO promptly. Share the results of your efforts with the Coordinator for their records and with the Area Committee.
4. Be prepared to staff a CPC booth or exhibit and to answer questions about AA when invited to professional conventions and shows and shows.

Action

In June Jeff W., the GSO CPC Coordinator requested that our Area CPC Committee staff a booth at the annual American Probation and Parole Association (APPA) being held in Philadelphia from July 29 to July 31. The event was held at the Philadelphia Marriott. This was a fantastic opportunity for outreach to the wider community. This was a tremendously positive experience personally. I came away with a much better appreciation of how deeply and sincerely these professionals strive to see their clients reintegrated into society. Another great dividend of this commitment was the opportunity to attend an excellent well attended workshop presented by Nancy M. (class A trustee) and Jeff W. (GSO CPC Coordinator) and then to spend some time with them on Monday. I want to thank the Committee, particularly Randy H. (DCM District 25), for their participation.

7. Provide a CPC display at all Area events, including our annual Convention/Assembly, District workshops (if invited) and combined Area/Intergroup, YPAA functions such as Share-A-Days.

Action

7. This quarter CPC displays were provided for several district workshops in including the District 56 Summer workshop on August 11. There were several cases however where we were unable to provide coverage due to scheduling conflicts. Of course, as always, we have a presence at the quarterly Area 59 Meeting.

High Priority

Recommendation

2. Explore ways in which you can assist Districts—particularly those without Intergroups/Central Offices—in their CPC activities.
11. Consider partnering with our Corrections Subcommittee to develop strategies for bringing awareness of AA to professionals in the Corrections, Legal, Law Enforcement and Parole Fields.

Action

2. Although this item is a high priority, it has remained elusively difficult to fulfill due in no small part to the fact that three of our five committee members reside within the SEPIA umbrella which has a strong CPC presence throughout the Southeastern Pennsylvania region. It is the western and northern parts of Area 59 that have a less strong CPC presence. This problem of uneven representation will need to be dealt with for Panel 69 and we will be presenting recommendations soon.
11. The CPC Subcommittee had reached out to the Corrections Subcommittee with the hope of coordinating our efforts in fulfilling the commitment to the American Probation and Parole Association (APPA), however, due to scheduling conflicts, that was not possible for this event.

Respectfully submitted by the CPC Committee,

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